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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Andrew M. Weiner  
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Title : METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR POLARIZATION CONTROL AND  
POLARIZATION MODE DISPERSION COMPENSATION FOR WIDEBAND  
OPTICAL SIGNALS  
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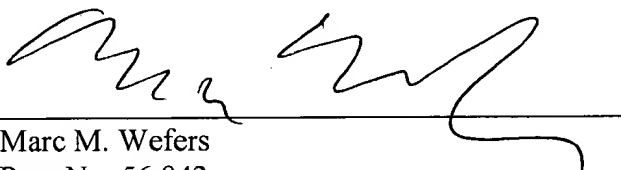
PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated February 7, 2006, be extended for two months to and including July 7, 2006.

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